U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number **NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO** Docket Number (Optional) THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES THL-10002/29 In re Application of Richard Thiele, Jr. Filed Application Number 10/827,564-Conf. #3187 April 19, 2004 SHOVELS AND OTHER IMPLEMENTS WITH SCALLOPED LEADING EDGES Art Unit Examiner 3652 D.J. Kramer Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) Х Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. \$5.00 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1180 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed. I am the applicant /inventor. /John G. Posa/ Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) John G. Posa is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) Typed or printed name attorney or agent of record. 37,424 Registration number (734) 913-9300 Telephone number attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34. Dec. 4, 2007 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.

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